The allotment in various types depends upon availability of houses.

Foundations of Dwarka Sub-City affected by Saline Water

3186 . SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA : will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the foundations of the Dwarka sub-city in the capital are seriously affected with the rising level of saline water ; and

(b) if so, what steps have been taken by Government to identify the saline water pockets and to take remedial measures to save its foundations ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA) : (a) The Delhi Development Authority has reported that a view has been expressed about the rising level of saline water in the Dwarka sub-city.

(b) DDA is seized of the matter and they have been asked to take corrective action, if needed.

Setting up of Urban Development Fund

3187. SHRI R. S. GAVAI : will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government propose to set up an urban development fund to expedite infrastructure facilities in small and medium urban towns ;

(b) if so, the details thereof ;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor ;

(d) whether Government have decided from where the financial resources will be drawn for this Fund ; and

(e) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA) : (a) to (e) No formal proposal has been made to set up an urban development fund to expedite infrastructure facilities in small and medium urban towns as the small and medium towns are covered under the centrally sponsored scheme of Integrated Development of Small and Medium Towns.